

REMARKS

Initially, in the Office Action dated April 6, 2004, the Examiner rejects claims 1, 6-11, 14-21, 24-30, 33-36, 38-41 and 43-50 under 35 U.S.C. §103(a) as being unpatentable over U.S. Patent Publication No. 2002/0002594 (Roundtree et al.) in view of U.S. Patent No. 5,899,138 (Araki et al.). Claim 42 has been rejected under 35 U.S.C. §103(a) as being unpatentable over Roundtree et al. in view of U.S. Patent No. 5,615,384 (Allard et al.). Claims 4, 5, 12, 13, 22, 23, 31 and 32 have been rejected under 35 U.S.C. §103(a) as being unpatentable over Roundtree et al. in view of Araki et al. and further in view of U.S. Patent No. 4,914,624 (Dunthorn).

By the present response, Applicants have amended claims 1, 19 and 28 to further clarify the invention. Applicants have submitted new claims 43-99 for consideration by the Examiner and assert that these claims do not contain any prohibited new matter. Claims 1, 4-36 and 38-99 remain pending in the present application.

35 U.S.C. §103 Rejections

Claims 1, 6-11, 14-21, 24-30, 33-36, 38-41 and 43-50 have been rejected under 35 U.S.C. §103(a) as being unpatentable over Roundtree et al. in view of Araki et al. Applicants have discussed the deficiencies of Araki et al. in Applicants' previously filed responses. Applicants respectfully traverse these rejections and provide the following additional remarks.

Roundtree et al. discloses rendering of data on user devices using rendering instructions and interaction rules. The data includes concepts representing data

elements and having associated concept identifiers. Using the concept identifiers, a system retrieves rendering instructions for the corresponding data element in order to present the data element on a display of a user device. For interactive elements that can be selected by a user, the system retrieves interaction rules in order to determine how to render data for the interactive element based upon the user's selection of it.

Regarding claims 1, 9, 19, 28, 43 and new claim 57, Applicants submit that neither Roundtree et al. nor Araki et al., taken alone or in any proper combination, disclose, suggest or render obvious the limitations in the combination of each of these claims of, inter alia, receiving configuration information at the wireless device from a first server to configure user profile specific user interface settings and/or terminal specific user interface settings. The Examiner asserts that Roundtree et al. discloses this limitation on page 5, paragraphs 50 and 52. However, these portions of Roundtree et al. merely disclose a user interface program parsing a data string to obtain a concept identifier and using the concept identifier, and optionally settings, to look up rendering instructions for the data, and that the user interface program retrieves the rendering instructions. Therefore, Roundtree et al. discloses the rendering instructions (configuration information) being provided based on received concept identifiers. In contrast, the configuration information according to the present invention is downloaded directly without any intermediary step. Roundtree et al. discloses an intermediary step. According to the limitations in the claims of the present application, configuration information is received at a wireless

device from a server and used to configure user profile specific user interface settings and/or terminal specific user interface settings. In contrast, Roundtree et al. discloses receiving concept identifiers that must be used to look up rendering instructions for the data. Once found, the rendering instructions are retrieved by the user interface program.

Regarding claims 6-8, 10, 11, 14-18 20, 21, 24-27, 29, 30, 33-36, 38-41 and 44-50 and new claims 51-56 and 58-99, Applicants submit that these claims are dependent on one of independent claims 1, 9, 19, 28, 43 and 57 and, therefore, are patentable at least for the same reasons noted regarding these independent claims. For example, Applicants submit that none of the cited references disclose or suggest authenticating a wireless device at a private level of authentication to initiate a private session, a user being able to access specific information and services unique to the user from any wireless device when a private session has been established, authenticating a wireless device at a family level of authentication for a family session, or when a family session has been established, the wireless device being able to access all information and services that are available to all other wireless devices in the family session.

Moreover, the Examiner asserts that Roundtree et al. discloses that a server receives the configuration information from a configuration tool manager of a management server. However, in the system server 68 in Roundtree et al., configuration information is not provided to a wireless device. Further, the system server 68 disclosed in Roundtree et al. does not disclose or suggest a configuration

tool manager, as recited in the claims of the present application. Further, the Examiner asserts that interface server 68 in Roundtree et al. discloses the MDA server as recited in the claims of the present application. However, the interface server 68 in Roundtree et al. controls gateway 62, and provides an interface between a system server 76 and gateway 62, speech processor 66 and the World Wide Web 70. The interface server 68 in Roundtree et al. does not disclose or suggest providing services like e-mail, calendar, notes, ability to shop on line, authentication and third party services and information, as recited in the claims of the present application. In addition, the Examiner asserts that Roundtree et al. describes a wireless device storing a network address of the global address server on a network address or MDA server. However, the cited portions of Roundtree et al. do not disclose or suggest these limitations in the claims of the present application. Further, the Examiner asserts that a system server 76 in Roundtree et al. discloses the MDA server including an application server, a support server, a network application server and a directory server, as recited in the claims of the present application. However, these limitations are neither disclosed nor suggested in these portions of Roundtree et al.

Accordingly, Applicants submit that none of the cited references, taken alone or in any proper combination, disclose, suggest or render obvious the limitations in the combination of each of claims 1, 6-11, 14-21, 24-30, 33-36, 38-41, 43-50 and new claims 51-99 of the present application. Applicants respectfully request that these rejections be withdrawn and that these claims be allowed.

Claim 42 has been rejected under 35 U.S.C. §103(a) as being unpatentable over Roundtree et al. in view of Araki et al. and further in view of Allard et al. Applicants have discussed the deficiencies of Araki et al. and Allard et al. in Applicants' previously-filed responses. Further, Applicants submit that claim 42 is dependent on independent claim 1 and, therefore, is patentable at least for the same reasons noted regarding this independent claim. For example, Applicants submit that none of the cited references disclose or suggest where the determining inputted data corresponds to showing a hidden text under a touch input. Allard et al. merely discloses a zoom function for text that is displayed even if in small print. Allard et al. does not disclose or suggest hidden text under a touch input, as recited in the claims of the present application.

Accordingly, Applicants submit that none of the cited references, taken alone or in any proper combination, disclose, suggest or render obvious the limitations in the combination of claim 42 of the present application. Applicants respectfully request that this rejection be withdrawn and that this claim be allowed.

Claims 4, 5, 12, 13, 22, 23, 31 and 32 have been rejected under 35 U.S.C. §103(a) as being unpatentable over Roundtree et al. in view of Araki et al. and further in view of Dunthorn. Applicants have discussed the deficiencies of Dunthorn in Applicants' previously-filed responses. Applicants submit that these claims are dependent on one of independent claims 1, 9, 19 and 28 and, therefore, are patentable at least for the same reasons noted regarding these independent claims. For example, Applicants submit that none of the cited references disclose or suggest

a touch detector detecting that the object is touching the touch screen by detecting a pressure of the object on the touch screen being greater than a predetermined value.

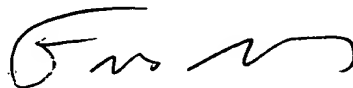
Accordingly, Applicants submit that none of the cited references, taken alone or in any proper combination, disclose, suggest or render obvious the limitations in the combination of each of claims 4, 5, 12, 13, 22, 23, 31 and 32 of the present application. Applicants respectfully request that these rejections be withdrawn and that these claims be allowed.

In view of the foregoing amendments and remarks, Applicants submit that claims 1, 4-36 and 38-99 are now in condition for allowance. Accordingly, early allowance of such claims is respectfully requested.

To the extent necessary, Applicants petition for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136. Please charge any shortage in fees due in connection with the filing of this paper, including extension of time fees, or credit any overpayment of fees, to the deposit account of Antonelli, Terry, Stout & Kraus, LLP, Deposit Account No. 01-2135 (referencing attorney docket no. 0171.38955X00).

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